GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received any proposal from the Government of Odisha to establish the Regional Office at Bhubaneswar for better coordination of National Waterway No. 5 project; and
(b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

(a)&(b):No, Madam. However, an office of Inland Waterways Authority of India (IWAI), headed by a Deputy Director, has been opened at Bhubaneswar on 23.12.2014 to co-ordinate with the State Government and other stake holders for development of projects on National Waterway-5 (NW-5) and to supervise various developmental activities being taken up in the region.

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